

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



**FISCAL NOTE**

**HB 1189 - SB 1291**

March 20, 2015

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Requires a local school board, which desires to renew a director of schools' contract, to hold a retention referendum on such renewals at least nine months prior to the expiration of the director's contract. If a majority votes against retaining the current director, the school board shall hire a temporary director upon the expiration of the current director's contract. If a majority votes for the retention of the director, the school board may extend the retained director's contract for four years. If a director's contract expires prior to the nine-month period, then the local board of education may only extend the contract of director until the next election.

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

Assumptions:

- Retention referendums will be held during the regular election cycle.
- Any increase in local expenditures to add items to the ballot in years in which a retention referendum is held is not significant.
- No change in compensation for directors of schools.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Jeffrey L. Spalding".

Jeffrey L. Spalding, Executive Director

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